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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

Morning Meeting of 1 December 1964

There was a current intelligence briefing. DCI was given memoranda on Soviet reconnaissance satellites and on activities of Soviet nuclear submarines.

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[redacted] for DDS&T noted plans for a flight to Central China. He noted that [redacted] morale remained high after the flight toward [redacted] and noted the status of [redacted] and CORONA [redacted].

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Bross called attention to a draft letter to the President on economy in government.

Houston noted Senator Dodd had been cooperative in excluding the Agency from furnishing information on arms imports.

Bannerman for DDS, who is ill, noted there will be a meeting on 4 December in Constitution Hall to be addressed by the President on the subject of economy.

Kent plans to deliver to the DCI a draft of completed portions of 11-3 sometime today.

Kirkpatrick noted the Bureau of Budget's impression that the Agency's budget was sound. He also noted that hearings with the House Appropriations Committee will probably be held in January.

There was a discussion about relations with Congress referring to an earlier memorandum prepared for the Director who

believes that we should talk to Representative Rivers as soon as he returns to Washington about 15 December. DCI also asked that Senators Young and Hickenlooper be debriefed on their return.

DCI discussed the forthcoming meeting with the President on Vietnam.

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25X1 was decided that DDI, not [ ] would bear primary responsibility  
for continuing analysis of this problem. DCI suggested that we solicit  
the views of [ ]

DCI asked that a specific plan be submitted to the 303 Committee  
this week for the coverage of [ ] 25X1

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cc - ExDir